

CONSULAAT-GENERAAL DER NEDERLANDEN
VOOR MIDDEN-CHINA.

No. 269.

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S. B. D. 1913.
11 - 2 - 31.
SHANGHAI, 26-1-1930.

Sir,

I wish to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 26th instant, No. S.B.
D. 1913, regarding H. Neumann, and to thank
you for the information contained therein.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Consul-General.

R.C. Aiers, Esquire,
Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Crime & Special Branches,

SHANGHAI.



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January 26, 31.

Sir,

With reference to your letter, No. 153, dated January 14, 1931, inquiries show that Hermann Neumann has been employed, since he arrived in Shanghai in 1928, in the West Coast Insurance Co., 3 Canton Road, as an agent. He seems to have a good reputation, and there is nothing detrimental to his character either in a political or moral way known to the Municipal Police. No confirmation can be found of the report that Neumann was engaged in forestry work in Soviet Russia, but statements made by himself indicate that he did undertake duties connected with forestry during the war on behalf of the German Army in a part of Russia which at that time was occupied by the Force in question.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,



Officer in Charge Special Branch

Consul-General for the Netherlands,
Shanghai.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. _____

REPORT

S. 2. _____ Station,

Date January 23, 1931.

Subject (in full) Letter from the Netherlands Consulate re Hermann Neumann.

Made by _____ and Forwarded by D.S.I. Duncan.

Sir,

With reference to the attached letter dated January 14th from the Netherlands Consulate re Hermann Neumann, enquiries show that he arrived in Shanghai from Africa in 1928. On his arrival here he secured a position with the West Coast Insurance Coy, 3 Canton Road as an agent. This position he still holds.

In conversation, Neumann has intimated that during the Great War he was in charge of forests in the part of Russia then occupied by German troops.

It is not known that he was ever connected with forestry in Soviet Russia. There is nothing in Municipal Police records to his detriment.

W. Duncan.
D. S. I.

D. C. (C. & S. Branches)

*Reg. Letter in accordance
with attached draft please*

JH
24/1/31.

Memorandum.

POLICE FORCE,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

To ^{Shanghai} Insp. Anderson, 16, 1936

Have you anything
on record re Hermann
Neumann please:

[Signature]

DSI Colo.

[Initials]

W. H. Tolson.

Have you anything please

[Signature]
- Be have a file on "I. B. NEUMANN" please
record in the files

AAT-GENERAAL DER NEDERLANDEN
VOOR MIDDEN-CHINA.
TEL. AD. HOLLANDIA.

No. 53

SHANGHAI
S. B. D. 1913
15 - 1 - 31

SHANGHAI,

14th January 1931

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that a certain Hermann
Neumann, a German, living at 30 Carter Road, is applying
to the Netherlands Indian Government for a concession for
the exploitation of forests in Borneo.

I would be much obliged to know whether this person
was ever connected with forestry in Soviet Russia and is
known to enjoy a good reputation, both from a political and
moral point of view.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Chinese Secretary.

R.C. Aiers, Esquire,
Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Crime & Special Branches,

SHANGHAI.

* Sir.
No record in
Sp. Br. Reg.
Sir,
No record CR.
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